



THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Rosen, et al.

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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR

IMPROVED MULTIPLE REAL-TIME BALANCING AND STRAIGHT THROUGH

PROCESSING OF SECURITY

TRANSACTIONS

Attorney Docket: 717-001

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231



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## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

SIR:

- 1 Prior to substantive examination of the subject application,
- 2 please amend as follows: